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Applicant(s): BISCHOF et al.)
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
Mail Stop Amendment
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a two-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the outstanding Office Action mailed March 31, 2006, thereby extending the date on which the period of response is set to expire from June 30, 2006 to August 30, 2006.

Please charge the amount of \$450 for the required extension fee, and charge any additional fees or credit any over-payment, to PTO Deposit Account No. 13-4895.

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The undersigned hereby certifies that this paper is being transmitted by facsimile in accordance with 37 CFR §1.6(d) to the Patent and Trademark Office, addressed to Commissioner for Patents, Mail Stop Amendment, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on this 30th day of August, 2006, at 2:45pm (Central Time).

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